

# The Catholic Community of Rutland at Corpus Christi Church

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday 3:00 pm

Wednesday **NO MASS**, Thursday: 9:00 am

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

### Reconciliation

Saturday: 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

### Filipino Mass

First Sunday of the Month

5:00 pm

### Vietnamese Mass

To Be Announced

### Vietnamese Rosary

First Sunday of the Month

After the 11:00 am Mass

### Care Home Masses

First Friday - Sunpointe 9:00 am

Third Friday - Springvalley 10:15 am

Fourth Friday - Chatsworth 11:00 am

## September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### First Reading

Wisdom 9.13-18

### Second Reading

Philemon 9b-10, 12-17

### Gospel

Luke 14.25-33



## CONTACT NUMBERS:

Religious Education -	250-765-6869
Society of St. Vincent de Paul - Rutland	250-765-0800
Ozanam House	250-762-4673
Freedom's Door	250-717-0472
Grief to Grace	250-878-7603
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Rachel's Vineyard	250-762-2273
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Canadian Food for Children	236-420-1970
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Diocese of Nelson - Pastoral Centre	250-448-2725
Website: <a href="https://www.nelsondiocese.org">https://www.nelsondiocese.org</a>	
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Fr. Pat is available for hospital visits  
**in emergencies**. Please call the Rectory:  
(778) 753-0122 or Parish Office @ (250) 765-6869.  
The Catholic Chaplaincy phone, (250) 878-1502  
is available specifically for emergency  
& end of life calls.

**If you are hospitalized**, please be sure to identify  
yourself as Catholic when being  
admitted. **Family members and parishioners** are also  
asked to notify the parish office of the shut-ins &  
hospitalized in our Catholic community.



**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL**  
**Corpus Christi Conference**  
**President: Luci Wilcox (250) 765-4556**

**Thank you for the continued generous donations to your SSVF Conference.**

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all our parishioners for both food and monetary contributions - from our community families and individuals in need. Your continued support and generosity provide hope and substance in times of great need. To show our appreciation, we are delighted to offer refreshments and a treat following each mass on our Mary's Pantry Sunday, Sept. 13th and 14th. Please notice the addition of the following QR Code to the St. Vincent de Paul Collection Boxes and here in the bulletin to create another option for giving. Our family's needs continue to grow, please be generous. For more information call Luci at 250-765-4556.

**Mary's Pantry is held the second Sunday of each month at Corpus Christi Parish.**

**Donations can be made any time to:**  
**vincentcorpusc@gmail.com**

**Please make your cheques payable to**  
**St. Vincent de Paul.**



**CWL CORPUS CHRISTI COUNCIL**  
**President: Paulette Wolfe**  
**Membership: Marg Ward 250-491-9567**

**Executive Meeting - Oct. 01, 2025**

**Regular Meeting - Sept 10, 2025 at 10 am**

**We welcome all women of the parish to join us at our regular meeting, for coffee and fellowship.**

Our Cwl Sister Parish is the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate in Nelson, [813 Ward St., Nelson BC., V1L 1T4](#). Feel free to send them a note to say "hello".



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
**Fr. De Lestre Council #6233 Grand Knight:**



**PARISH BREAKFAST TODAY,**  
**After the 9:00 am Mass.**  
**Cost is by donation. Everyone is Welcome!**



**ST. THERESA CEMETERY**  
**Administrator: John Vielvoye**

St. Theresa Cemetery offers a final resting place to the parishioners of Corpus Christi Parish.

We offer Cremation, Burial and Family plots.  
 For more information, please visit our Parish website, or call the Parish office.

Mowing and general maintenance are currently underway at the Cemetery. We kindly ask that you refrain from leaving any breakable vases or items that may obstruct the work.



Our Annual Fall Bazaar is happening Saturday, September 13th. Doors open at 8:00 am. Please come out and Support our Parish fundraiser!

**Our Stewardship**

<b>Sunday Collection</b>	<b>\$ 3,430.20</b>
<b>Loose Cash</b>	<b>\$ 752.20</b>
<b>Cemetery</b>	<b>\$ 70.00</b>

**Pre-Authorized Giving (SAG)** - once per month.  
 direct debit form is located in the Church foyer and on our parish website.

**E-transfer to:**

[etransfer.corpuschristikelowna@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:etransfer.corpuschristikelowna@nelsondiocese.org)

**You can mail your donations to:**  
**Corpus Christi Parish**

750 Rutland Road N. Kelowna, BC V1X 3B7

Please do not include cash in your envelope.

Cheques only.

**Pilgrimage of Faith News**

Our 2025 Pilgrimage of Faith **Diocesan** Goal is  
**\$26,650.00**

**Any funds exceeding this amount will be used for ongoing and future project within the Parish.**

To date we have contributed **\$22,377.66**  
**84% of our Diocesan Goal. Thank you!**

**Daily Mass Intentions**

Sat., Sept. 6 <sup>th</sup>	Repose of the Soul of Richard Boon
Sun., Sept. 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>9:00 am</b> Repose of the Soul of Bill Pires
	<b>11:00 am</b> Intention of Bishop Gregory Bittman & Fr. Pat Monette
Tue., Sept. 9 <sup>th</sup>	Repose of the Soul of Jadwiga Nizinski
Wed., Sept. 10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>NO MASS</b> Repose of the Soul of Teresa Diakow
Thu., Sept. 11 <sup>th</sup>	Repose of the Soul of Lourdes Williams
Sat., Sept. 13 <sup>th</sup>	Repose of the Soul of David Ward

***Please pray for those who have no one to pray for them, and for the sick & injured at home & in hospital, especially***

Bishop Gregory Bittman, Kathleen McKinney, Audrey Regan, Brent Wood, Trevor Hoffman, Gloria Chopik, Denise Greyell, Irene Hobson, Erin Wood, Theresa McCaulley, Roxanne Wagner, Lisa Marshall, Gene Zimmer, Lana Tolfree, Rita Ketch, Joe Pires, Joan Sherry, Doug Webb, Patricia Hess, Loretta Stutard, Alice Macrae, Denise Paley, Michele Morris, Teresa Hagel, Verna & Lionel Hoffman, Sibylle & Aloys Orsulic, Don & Jacquie Schneider, Gerta Clifford, Barbara Hoffman, Theresa Prah, Lisa Morrison, Veronica Sullivan, Jordon, Joan White, Daniel & Stanislaw Stypinski, Rosalinda & Wilfredo Elves, Anna Giarusso, June Buchan, Carol Gauthier, Betty Klinger, Vince Cummings, Domenic Cacchioni.



**Our Bishop Gregory** had surgery on September 2, the surgeon said it went well. Bishop Gregory is recovering well and will require additional treatment in about two weeks. Please continue to pray for him and the surgical team.

**The Parish office will be closed** from September 8 and will re-open Friday, September 12th. If you have donations to the Fall Bazaar, please hold onto your items until Friday.

**Corpus Christi Parish is seeking a Catechism Coordinator**

The ideal candidate will possess strong organizational skills and a willingness to work collaboratively with both students and parents. The position requires a time commitment of approximately 3 to 6 hours per week, including Wednesday evenings from 5:00 pm to 7:15 pm. A detailed job description is available through the parish office. This role may be shared by two individuals.

**Catechism Program - Grades 1- 7 - Public Schools** - Our Catechism program is open to students in Grades 1 through 7 who attend public schools. This program is designed to help children begin building a strong and lasting relationship with Jesus Christ and the Church. Please reserve Wednesday evenings from 5:40 pm to 7:00 pm for classes. Registration letter and forms are available in the Parish Foyer.

**Ann Matthews will be available after each Mass this weekend to answer questions and accept Catechism registrations.**



**An Invitation to Children's Liturgy**

**at Corpus Christi Parish** - Children ages 3 to 8 are invited to join us downstairs for Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 11:00 am Mass.



**Love gardening but don't have one of your own?**

Come help keep the Corpus Christi Parish Gardens beautiful! We're looking for helping hands to pull a few weeds - no rose care needed. A perfect way for condo dwellers, or anyone missing their own gardens, to enjoy some time outdoors.

**Gr. \*8-12 Youth Group News!** We are excited to gather again for our first meeting of the year on Sunday, Sept. 14th. Here are the details... Where: ICC Parish Center (use EAST entrance); Drop Off: 6:30 pm (doors open 6:15 pm); Pick Up: 8:30 pm; What: Snacks, Games, Ice Breakers, Chat about Plans for the Year! Bring your **2025-26 Youth Group Registration Form**. To download a registration form, please go to [www.kelownacatholicityouthgroup.ca](http://www.kelownacatholicityouthgroup.ca) \* Please note the new age range. For grade 7 families, we encourage you to check out Our Lady of Lourdes Youth Group monthly events.



**One Million Children Praying the Rosary**

October 7, 2025. Pray with the children of the World. Website: <https://acn-canada.org/one-million-children/> guide on how to pray the rosary with

children [https://acn-canada.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/ACN-20241106-174839\\_GuideHowToPray-2025.pdf](https://acn-canada.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/ACN-20241106-174839_GuideHowToPray-2025.pdf)

**Guest Services Clerk position available at Seton House.**

Job description, duties & list of requirements are available in the Parish foyer, and on our website. If you have strong customer service and communication skills with the ability to multitask, we invite you to submit a cover letter and resume to [executive-sps@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:executive-sps@nelsondiocese.org) by September 26, 2025. Electronic submissions only please.



Diocese of Victoria Pastoral Care Training Fall 2025 "God calls us to touch the lives of our aging, lonely, ill, palliative and dying sisters and brothers with accompaniment, kindness and compassion as the hands and face of Christ. In these sessions, you learn basic tools necessary to accompany those who are in need of the healing ministry of Christ." – Most Reverend Gary Gordon, Bishop of Victoria The valuable and free Pastoral Care Outreach Training series will be offered online this fall. Nine sessions will be held via Zoom on Saturday mornings from 9:30 – noon, starting on **September 27 and running until November 29, 2025** (with no session on October 11 for Thanksgiving). Missed session can be made-up, and a Certificate of Completion is provided to those who complete all nine sessions. Participants will require a phone number and email address, a computer, tablet or smart phone with speakers, microphone and webcam, a reliable Internet connection, and access to Zoom. Please register through your parish by September 16, 2025. For further information, please email [moiraking@shaw.ca](mailto:moiraking@shaw.ca)

**DO YOU LOVE TO SING?!** **Raise your voice with... Kelowna Community Gospel Choir!** We're about to start our Christmas season. Auditions (only to help place you in the right section - no pressure) are held throughout September. All voice types welcome! When: Mondays at 6:30PM, starting September 8/25 Where: Missions Springs Church of God, 3705 Mission Springs Dr. Contact: Dale 250-763-0453 Check out our previous Christmas season here: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cGgCrHmTqvw&list=RDeGgCrHmTqvw&start\\_radio=1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cGgCrHmTqvw&list=RDeGgCrHmTqvw&start_radio=1)

"We proclaim Christ Crucified... Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God." *Corinthians 1:23-24*  
**Exaltation of the Holy Cross - Creston.** Saturday, Sept. 13 @ 4:00 pm Praise and Worship. 5:00 pm Healing Mass, followed by Eucharistic Adoration and Anointing of the Sick. Sunday, Sept. 14 - Homecoming celebration, Mass at 9:30, followed by lunch in the hall. Fr. Sylvester Obi Ibekwe. Please email [creston@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:creston@nelsondiocese.org) or phone 250-428-2300 to confirm their attendance.

**Divine Will Cenacle:** "Thy Kingdom come, Thy Will be done, on earth as in Heaven..." Come join us in exploring the great gift God offers to us to receive His Divine Will as life so that He may grow His Kingdom within us. Meeting on **Wednesday evenings at St. Pius X parish**, Kelowna at 6-7:30pm Call Paulette at 250-570-2967 "How beautiful the creature is when (she is...) together with Our Will! She gives us the ease to form Our most beautiful works, and she gives life to Our Life within herself? (Book of Heaven, Vol 35; Piccareta).



**UBCO students** there is mass on campus every Monday at 7pm in UNC 316 and small group meetings every Thursday at 7pm in UNC 316. The UBCO Catholic club is working to build a faith community on campus. Come and join to learn more about the Catholic faith and to grow in community. All students are welcome.





**Sacrament of Baptism at Corpus Christi Parish** Please contact the Parish Office 6 weeks prior to your requested date to ensure time for preparation. At least one parent and Godparent must be a registered Parishioner of a Catholic church.



**Sacrament of Marriage at Corpus Christi Parish** - In preparation of this most special sacrament, we ask that you contact the Parish office at least six months prior to your Requested Wedding date.



Do you have a child entering Kindergarten this fall? St. Joseph Catholic School is a great choice for your family! At St. Joseph's your child will receive a quality, faith-based education based on the virtues of kindness, honesty and service. For more information, please contact our office at sjkofice@cisnd.ca or 250-763-3371

## Rachel's Corner

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat: Has abortion left you feeling empty and alone? This retreat is for any man, woman, couple or family member who has struggled with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. If you are searching for peace and inner healing from an abortion experience, this retreat is for you. Register now for our upcoming retreat.

For more information call Vicki, 250-762-2273 or e-mail [rvokanagan@gmail.com](mailto:rvokanagan@gmail.com)  
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 Rachel's Vineyard Kelowna.  
 Confidentiality is assured.



## Diocese of Nelson Perpetual

**Adoration Chapel** - 839 Sutherland Ave. Located off the back of ICC.

Entrance is off west alley/driveway. Our Lord Jesus is Inviting you to visit Him in the Perpetual Adoration Chapel. For more information, please call Lorie: 250-448-5633

Pilgrimage of Faith donations are accepted at [etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org)

You can scan our QR code, (please include your parish name).



**Seton House of Prayer**, Designated Pilgrimage Site in the Nelson Diocese. Please note that all visits to Seton House must be booked in advance. Please call 250-764-4333 or email [setonhouse@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:setonhouse@nelsondiocese.org)

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